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For: USE OF HYDROXYAROMATIC  
COMPOUNDS AS SAFENERS

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**  
**SUBMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.114**

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Dear Madam:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

A response to the Office Action mailed September 18, 2008 was filed on March 18, 2009. This Submission is responsive to the Office Action mailed September 18, 2008 and the Advisory Action mailed April 14, 2009.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 14 of this paper.